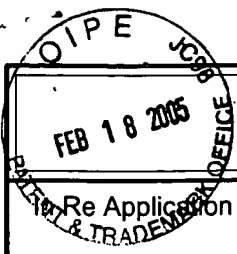


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Dear Examiner Paula:

Applicant wishes to thank you for the courtesy of a telephone conference, wherein it was discussed whether a Supplemental Reissue Application Declaration executed by the Assignee would simplify the one remaining issue in this case of the missing inventor signature.

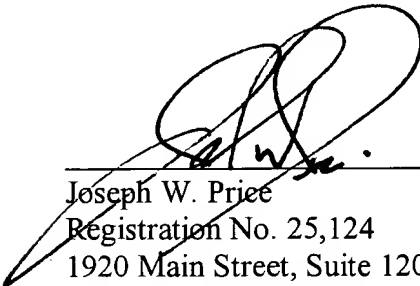
We are approaching the end of the six-month statutory time period and apparently the U.S. Patent Office has failed to scan in our Petition on the Missing Inventor that was filed in November 2004. Accordingly, attached hereto is an executed copy of a Reissue Application

Declaration by the Assignee, along with a cover sheet if there are any additional fees to be charged associated with this matter.

Hopefully, this will simplify the issue to allow the case.

Very truly yours,

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